



Understanding the Vulnerable Sector Check

A **Vulnerable Sector Check** (commonly referred to as a Level 3 check) is designed for individuals pursuing employment or volunteer roles involving vulnerable persons. A vulnerable person is defined as someone who, due to age, disability, or other circumstances—whether temporary or permanent—either:

- (a) relies on others for support, or
- (b) faces a higher risk than the general population of being harmed by individuals in positions of authority or trust.

Typical Positions and Student Placements Requiring a Vulnerable Sector Check:

- Teachers
- Volunteers in a school/Childcare setting
- Elder Care
- Daycare
- Coaches
- Nurses

A **Vulnerable Sector Check** will reveal the following information:

- Summary of criminal convictions or indictable offenses from CPIC and/or local databases
- Findings of guilt under the Youth Criminal Justice Act within the relevant disclosure period
- Outstanding entries, including charges and warrants, judicial orders, peace bonds, probation, and prohibition orders
- Absolute and conditional discharges
- Charges resulting in a finding of not criminally responsible due to mental disorder
- Pardoned offenses authorized under the Criminal Records Act
- Non-conviction information permitted through Exceptional Disclosure

Please find the information below to complete your Police Reference Check online.

The current cost of a VSC is Employment - \$71.72, Volunteer \$26.72

- Please fill out the online application at www.tps.to/police-checks
- The program number for St. Clement's Early Learning School is **202309TPSONC2DFF**
- Once the application is complete you can submit the receipt to keep on your file.
- Please track your application and submit the record to **mainoffice@scels.ca** once received.